

## UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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## RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Mr. Gordon S. Kuntz, Ph.D.
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Corporate Environmental Services
101 Prospect Avenue, N.W.
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Re: Hilliards Creek Site, Gibbsboro, New Jersey

Site Visit on February 9, 2001

Maintenance and Expansion of Existing Control Measures and Additional Sampling

## Dear Mr. Kuntz:

A site visit was conducted on February 9, 2001 and revealed that many of the signs that were posted on the fencing have been removed. These signs need to be replaced and signs are also needed in some additional areas. These are areas that in the summer months were not easily accessible, but have become more accessible with the onset of the winter months and the cold weather.

In addition it will be necessary to take additional samples at the houses on Stevens Drive in order to insure that the contamination remains in the subsurface. Previous samples did not reveal surface contamination, but are not sufficient to make this determination. Therefore, additional samples are needed to determine if any access restriction measures are necessary.

Finally, attempts were made in the past to take samples in the yards adjacent to the creek on W. Clementon Road, but have failed due to access issues. Please make another attempt to gain access to these yards and in addition the man made pond to collect samples. These results would determine if any access restriction measures need to be taken at these locations.

I would like to meet with you and/or your contractor at your/their earliest convenience in order to discuss the above issues.

If you have any questions concerning these matters please contact me at (732)321-6647.

Sincerely, Bourta R. Shear

Bonita L. Green
On Scene Coordinator

cc: Allen Danzing, Esq. SWC Ted Toskos, Weston